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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: W. ITO, et al

Serial No.: 09/964,336

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For: INTRUDING OBJECT DETECTING METHOD AND INTRUDING
OBJECT MONITORING APPARATUS EMPLOYING THE METHOD

Group: 2623

Examiner: A. P. Bhatnagar

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AMENDMENT

MS Amendment

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

February 22, 2005

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 19, 2004, please amend the
above-identified application as follows.

Amendments to the Claims

Remarks are included following the amendments.

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Therefore, Applicants submit that the features of the present invention as now recited in claims 15-26 are not anticipated nor rendered obvious by any of the references of record whether taken individually or in combination with each other.

In view of the foregoing amendments and remarks, applicants submit that the present application is now in condition for allowance based on claims 15-26.

Accordingly, early allowance of claims 15-26 is respectfully requested.

To the extent necessary, the applicants petition for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136. Please charge any shortage in fees due in connection with the filing of this paper, including extension of time fees, or credit any overpayment of fees, to the deposit account of MATTINGLY, STANGER, MALUR & BRUNDIDGE, P.C., Deposit Account No. 50-1417 (500.40713X00).

Respectfully submitted,

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CLAIMS AS FILED - PART I

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INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	3 minus 3 =	0
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CLAIMS AS AMENDED - PART II

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OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY

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TOTAL	

RATE	FEE
BASIC FEE	710.00
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TOTAL	710

SMALL ENTITY OR

OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY

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+135=	
TOTAL ADDIT. FEE	

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RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
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TOTAL ADDIT. FEE	

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